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Hon. Commissioner for Patents

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- 2. Reply to Office Action

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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

#### Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [] a Preliminary Amendment; [X] a Reply to Office Action; [] a Substitute Specification; [] an Associate Power of Attorney; [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

## FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [ ] A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

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*	If less than 20 If less than 3,	•			TOTAL		\$	.00
[ ]	As a result of the amendment submitted herewith, this application now includes excess pages beyond those previously paid for. The number of additional groups of 50 excess pages resulting from this amendment is x \$250 = \$							
[ ]	A check in the amount of \$ in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith.							
[X]	The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.							
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#### EXTENSION FEE

- [X] The following extension is applicable to the Response
   filed herewith; [] \$120.00 extension fee for response
   within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
   [] \$450.00 extension fee for response within second month
   pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [X] \$1,020.00 extension
   fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.
   § 1.136(a); [] \$1,590.00 extension fee for response
   within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
   [] \$2,160.00 within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.
   § 1.136(a).
  - [] A check in the amount of [] \$120.00; [] \$450.00; [] \$1,020.00; [] \$1,590.00; [] \$2,160.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
  - [X] Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a [] one-month extension of time; [] two-month extension of time; [X] three-month extension of time; [] four-month extension of time; [] five-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated October 21, 2004. With the extension, the time for replying is extended up to and including February 22, 2005 (owing February 21, 2005 being President's Day).
  - [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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